

as the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013 (Public Law 113-4; 127 Stat. 54);

Whereas the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate—

(1) has promoted government transparency;

(2) reported the bill that was enacted as section 552 of title 5, United States Code (commonly known as the “Freedom of Information Act”); and

(3) has continued to improve that Act by passing legislation, including the FOIA Improvement Act of 2016 (Public Law 114-185; 130 Stat. 538);

Whereas the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate is one of the busiest and most productive committees of the Senate, and approximately 1/5 of all measures that are referred to committees of the Senate are referred to the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate;

Whereas the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate handles nominations, including nominations for—

(1) the Supreme Court of the United States;

(2) the courts of appeals of the United States;

(3) the district courts of the United States;

(4) the Department of Justice;

(5) the Attorney General;

(6) the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation;

(7) United States Attorneys;

(8) the United States Marshals Service; and

(9) the United States Sentencing Commission;

Whereas the work of the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate has contributed to a more diverse Federal judiciary;

Whereas members of the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate have been elected President or Vice President or appointed to the Cabinet or the Supreme Court of the United States;

Whereas Senator Edward M. Kennedy of Massachusetts served on the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate for 45 years from 1963 to 2009, the longest period served on the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate by any Senator; and

Whereas Senator James O. Eastland of Mississippi served as chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate for 22 years from 1956 to 1978, and was the longest-serving chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the Senate—

(1) celebrates and congratulates the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate on the celebration of its 200th anniversary; and

(2) applauds the many accomplishments of the Committee on the Judiciary of the Senate.

# SENATE RESOLUTION 642—AUTHORIZING TAKING PICTURES AND FILMING IN THE SENATE CHAMBER, THE SENATE WING OF THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL, AND SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS FOR PRODUCTION OF A FILM AND A BOOK ON THE HISTORY OF THE SENATE

Mr. MCCONNELL (for himself, Mr. REID, Mr. BLUNT, and Mr. SCHUMER) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 642

*Resolved*,

## SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION OF TAKING OF PICTURES AND FILMING IN SENATE CHAMBER, SENATE WING, AND SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS.

(a) AUTHORIZATION.—During the period beginning on the date of adoption of this resolution and ending on May 1, 2017, with respect to an individual or entity entering into a memorandum of understanding described in subsection (d)—

(1) paragraph 1 of rule IV of the Rules for the Regulation of the Senate Wing of the United States Capitol and Senate Office Buildings (prohibiting the taking of pictures in the Senate Chamber) is temporarily suspended for the purpose of permitting the taking of pictures and filming while the Senate is in session or in recess; and

(2) taking of pictures and filming shall be permitted in the Senate Wing of the United States Capitol and in Senate Office Buildings.

(b) LIMITATION ON USE OF IMAGES.—The pictures taken and film made under subsection (a) may only be used for production of a film documentary and a book on the history of the Senate.

(c) ARRANGEMENTS.—The Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate shall make the necessary arrangements to carry out this resolution, including such arrangements as are necessary to ensure that the taking of pictures and filming conducted under this resolution does not disrupt any proceeding of the Senate.

(d) PRODUCTION AGREEMENT.—The Majority Leader of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate, and the Chairman and Ranking Member of the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate shall jointly enter into a memorandum of understanding with an individual or entity seeking to take pictures and conduct filming for purposes of producing a film documentary and a book on the history of the Senate to formalize an agreement on locations and times for taking pictures and conducting filming and the use of the pictures taken and film made under this resolution.

## AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 5151. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5152. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5153. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5154. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5155. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5156. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 612, to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 1300 Victoria Street in Laredo, Texas, as the “George P. Kazen Federal Building and United States Courthouse”; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5157. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 612, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5158. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 612, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5159. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 612, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5160. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 612, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5161. Mrs. BOXER (for herself, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MERKLEY, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mr. HEINRICH) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 612, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5162. Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. HATCH, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. RISCH, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BENNET, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. UDALL) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 612, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5163. Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. HATCH, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. RISCH, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BENNET, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. UDALL) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5164. Mr. MANCHIN (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. DONNELLY, Mrs. MCCASKILL, Mr. CASEY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. WARNER, Ms. HEITKAMP, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. KING, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. FRANKEN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. WARREN, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. NELSON, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BENNET, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. CARPER, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. KAINE, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. PETERS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. TESTER, Mr. UDALL, Mr. REED, Ms. CANTWELL, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. COONS, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. REID, Mr. PORTMAN, Mrs. CAPITO, and Mr. KIRK) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5165. Mr. WYDEN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5166. Mr. PORTMAN (for himself and Mrs. CAPITO) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5167. Mr. DURBIN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5168. Mr. DURBIN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2028, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5169. Mr. BOOZMAN (for Mr. TOOMEY) proposed an amendment to the bill S. 1831, to revise section 48 of title 18, United States Code, and for other purposes.

SA 5170. Mr. BOOZMAN (for Mr. PERDUE) proposed an amendment to the bill S. 2781, to improve homeland security, including domestic preparedness and response to terrorism, by reforming Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers to provide training to first responders, and for other purposes.

SA 5171. Mr. BOOZMAN (for Mr. PERDUE) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 3842, to improve homeland security, including domestic preparedness and response to terrorism, by reforming Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers to provide training to first responders, and for other purposes.